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Dear Dr. Dryden:

Your letter of August 19 has only just arrived here.

Thank you for your cordial invitation. However, as I may not be back in the U.S. until early December, I will not be able to sit with the Academy in November. I am afraid I will also probably have to forego the April meeting in Washington, as I have a very heavy schedule already committed for that month. It looks as if there isnothing forit but to wait till next autumn.

I will be in Melbourne another month; thereafter, my correspondence had best be routed through Medison.

With my regrets, andthanks for your trouble,

Yours sincerely,

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